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Atlantic City, New Jersey 08401

RE: Petition #2581202

Dear Mr. Magazzu:

The staff of the Division of Gaming Enforcement's (Division) Regulatory Enforcement Bureau has reviewed Petition #2581202 filed by Harrah's Atlantic City Operating Company, d/b/a Harrah's Resort Atlantic City (Harrah's), dated September 14, 2012. Harrah's is seeking approval to add an alternate slot plan to their previously approved petition. Harrah's casino is currently operating under a Certificate of Operation which was approved in Petition #1791201 on July 3, 2012, by the Division of Gaming Enforcement.

By Petition #2581202, Harrah's seeks approval to implement one (1) alternate slot layout to approved petition #1791201, as depicted on the revised architectural drawing labeled PCO-62R1, dated September 5, 2012, which was prepared and certified by Michael Demling, RA, License #08676, of Michael Demling Associates (Exhibit A).



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The petitioner proposes the following:

Use one (1) alternate sixty-six (66) slot machine layout (tournament slots), temporarily converting currently authorized gaming space in the Eden Lounge to an area that will be used for the purpose of conducting slot tournaments.

The summary of the statistical calculations is as follows:

1. No change to the number of slot machines or slot stools. The total number of slot machines remains at **2,628** and the total number of slot stools is **2,628**;
2. No change to the number of total approved table games. The number remains at **175**;
3. The casino floor area is unchanged and remains at one hundred fifty-eight thousand four hundred ninety-seven (**158,497**) square feet. The Simulcast area remains at five hundred sixty-nine (**569**) square feet. The **total base gaming area** remains at one hundred fifty- nine thousand sixty-six (**159,066**) square feet;
4. Allowable slot coverage (90% of **159,066**) remains at one hundred forty-three thousand one hundred fifty-nine (**143,159**) square feet; and,
5. The actual slot coverage remains at one hundred two thousand sixty- two (**102,062**) square feet which is **64%** of the total gaming area and within the allowable 90% for slot density.

Based on the Division's authority, the requested amendments to Harrah's Certificate of Operation, as set forth above, are hereby granted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:69C-7.1, et seq. This approval authorizes a casino room containing and consisting of: **159,066** square feet of total gaming space, **175** table games, **2,628** slot machines and **2,628** slot stools, and **66** tournament slot machines as referenced in the petitioner's letter.

Please note that the designation of smoking areas in casinos is subject to the jurisdiction of the N.J. Department of Health and Senior Services and the Atlantic City Department of Health and Human Services, not the Division. Accordingly, this letter should in no way be construed as approving areas of the gaming floor for smoking.

This approval is subject to the following conditions:

- A. That revised operational blueprints, reflecting the changes approved herein, be submitted to the Division's Regulatory Enforcement Bureau, casino licensee's security podium and the casino licensee's CCTV monitoring room;
- B. That Harrah's notifies the Division immediately in the event of any modification to the approvals granted herein;
- C. That Harrah's complies with CCTV requirements, identified in N.J.A.C. 13:69D-1.10, regarding the requirements to record all gaming tables whether active or inactive;
- D. That all events capable of being monitored must be accessible from the Division's CCTV monitoring system as required by N.J.A.C. 13:69D-1.10(a)3;
- E. That Harrah's complies with all requirements and conditions appended to approvals received from all involved agencies of government whose approvals are required in order for a Certificate of Occupancy for the general public to be issued including, but not limited to, the Department of Community Affairs and the local construction official, and;
- F. In the future, if there are no changes from this approved petition, only notification of which alternate layout is being implemented, along with applicable certifications, is required. Notification must be submitted at least three (3) business days in advance of the slot tournament.

Michael Magazzu, Esquire
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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Bill Kendzierski of my staff at 441-7557.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Don Errera", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Don Errera, Deputy Chief
Regulatory Enforcement Bureau

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